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The Vista Before and After

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These two images are striking in my opinion. The natural vegetation and barriers that existed at both Vista parcels were illegally removed (outside the city charter) by former CM Tom LaBonge and his staff in September of 2011 in the name of beautification. Since that time this location has been intentionally transformed into an unauthorized and extremely dangerous tourist destination located in a Wild land Urban interface high hazard fire area where thousands of residents live in danger daily.

Fire danger, traffic, illegal parking, vandalism, weight jaw violating, and theft have all increased 10 fold, and the only way Google and other Social media and Mapping sites will remove this location from their service offerings is if the destination is restored to its original form. Many of us remember the growth being more mature, but you all get the picture.

It would be very reassuring to all of us residents that value public safety, especially at holiday time to have our current CM go public with a plan for this location per his election promise to assure public safety.

RAP has recently circulated it's plan for a new Sign access point to provide safe viewing, traffic mitigation, access, as well as new parking revenue for the city.

We are encouraged by CM Ryu's staff communication that there will be a Vista plan, but that communication is limited to very few and it has no public time line.

Where is the vision we are hoping for?
Public safety and access are very possible.

Thank you.
Tony

2 attachments



Sarajane

Thank you.
Tony

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